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Applicants: Shigeru Yoshida et al. : Art Unit: 2834
Serial No.: 09/672,216 : Examiner: Dang D. Le
Filed: September 28, 2000 :
For: MOTOR ASSEMBLED BY USING :
MOTOR-BASE-HOLDER AND :
METHOD OF ASSEMBLING THE :
SAME MOTOR :
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**RESPONSE
TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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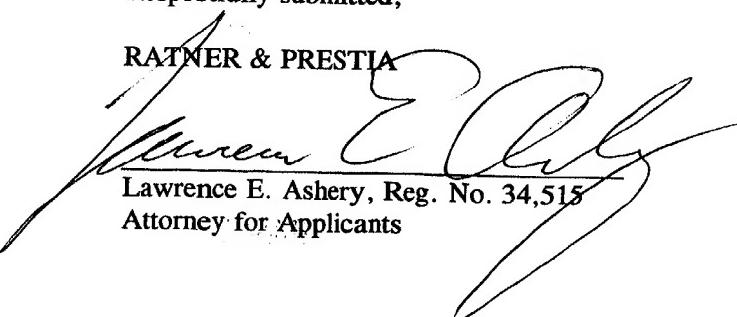
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SIR :

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated December 12, 2001, Applicants elect to prosecute Group I (claims 1-4, drawn to the apparatus of a motor base holder) without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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